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CUT RATE THEATRE TICKETS

WITH the theatrical season nearing its close so far as traveling attractions are concerned local people have been wondering what the effect would be of the establishment in San Francisco of a cut-rate ticket office similar to that in operation in New York.

The strenuous campaign recently waged by one of the California city's playhouses eliminated almost altogether the activities of the ticket broker and speculator. Some there are who regret his passing. While it is true that speculators gobbled up the best seats and made way for graft on the part of box office employees, they made business good to a certain extent by making good reservations hard to get. They created a demand for the best reservations on the theory that people generally want what they can't get. Incidentally, the broker, while realizing gain on the premiums he exacted also took many losses on tickets undisposed of. In New York there is an institution that works in the opposite way. The theaters dump certain seats into the hands of this organization, which proceeds to dispose of them at two-thirds or half price. In this, the most disastrous season the metropolis has had in years, more than thirty attractions were listed at the cut-rate office, it is said. In San Francisco, where the combination houses are forced to maintain the prices demanded by road attractions, a cut-rate ticket office might not be such a bad scheme, although so far there has been none willing to pioneer it.

CASH PRIZES FOR CLUBS

THERE is some pessimism regarding the announced plan of the Coast League baseball management to stimulate interest among the clubs which find after the season has advanced that they are not in it for the pennant. That the eight clubs can stand an assessment of \$20,000 for a fund to be apportioned to the clubs in the order in which they finish—except the one in the cellar, which is to get nothing—is questioned by some who affect to know of the financial probabilities. However, it seems to be a reasonable scheme—the winning club to get \$6000, the second \$4000, the third \$3000, the fourth \$2500, the fifth \$2000, the sixth \$1500, the seventh \$1000 and the eighth, as it has been expressed, "soup." It would have a tendency to keep all the clubs on their toes, whereas under the old order those which slip downward in the fog end of the season lose their pep and the fans are not treated to the lively playing to which they are entitled, and are thus inclined to lose interest. If the league can stand the assessment of \$20,000 for a promotion purpose there is little question but this would be a good way to spend it.

THE KU KLUX KLAN IN NEVADA

A MAN cannot hate his neighbor for long simply because that neighbor happens to be of a different religion, political faith, or fraternal organization, and there lies the principle which sooner or later will make for the disruption of the Ku Klux Klan.

The news dispatches state that a Southern Nevada district attorney is in Los Angeles seeking information regarding the Klan's activities in this state. It is well to take precautionary measures to prevent a large growth of the organization here, but the Klan could not expect to have a long life in Nevada.

The people of Nevada are too neighborly to allow practices such as the Ku Klux Klan indulges in, and the "invisible empire" will soon wear itself out here if, indeed, it is able to start at all.

PREPARING FOR MOTHER'S DAY

THE Postmaster-General, at the conclusion of Postal Improvement Week, which celebrated a most worthy cause, reminds us that next Sunday, May 14, is Mother's Day. He suggests that "as an appropriate recognition of our pride in and veneration for our mothers, the United States flag fly on all postoffice buildings on that day."

This suggestion will meet with every one's cordial assent. Each of the "weeks" that have gone by has had its critics, but there will be no hint of protest from anyone about Mother's Day, unless it be on the ground that we should have a mother's week, or month, or year. Mothers are the only subject on which the wide world is agreed. As the Postmaster General expressively says, "Mother means the same in any language."

THE APPEAL can agree with the Virginia Chronicle that C. A. Ambrose of Empire is performing a real service to Nevada in the historical films being made of early day life, which with modern views of Sagebrush activities, combining unexcelled scenic views, is a pictorial record that will be well worth preserving for future generations; as well as of extreme interest at the present moment.

Odd Names Chosen for Nevada Mines

Nevadans like best to give their mines and districts names starting with S. In the list of 648 Nevada mines, prospects, and districts of the last few years S leads with 70; C is second, with 63; and B is third with 61. The other letters follow: M 46, E 45, R 44, G 39, P 35, L 32, W 31, T 28, A 22, H 21, D 20, N 16, O 15, J 14, K 14, F 13, I 8, U 6, V 4, Q 2, Y 7, according to the Goldfield Tribune.

None of the names in the list commences with X or Z. The list does not, of course, include companies having names of two words, the first being the name of some big district, such as Goldfield, Tonopah, or Divide; that is, names such as Divide Extension or Tonopah 76 are excluded.

There is the singing Alto, the many-eyed Argus, the Allied, the dawning Aurora, the troublesome Apex, Aladdin of the wonderful lamp, the coppery Blue-stone, the Blue Jay, the friendly Buck and Charley, the heroic Ben Hur, the topographic Broken Hills, the Boss, the B. G. Chief, the Big Elephant, the Big Casino, the Bullshead, the Black Panther, the Blue Light, the odd Blue Horse, the equally odd Blue Light, the conqueror Cortez, the flying Comet, the Christmas.

Then there is the Cornucopia, the horn of plenty; the geologic Contact; the alluring Dividend; the Dreamland, the triumphant Eureka; the Excelsior, rather inspiring; the El Capitan, perhaps the recollection of a vacation; the energetic Electric; the rich Croesus.

Many names start with that of the yellow metal, as Gold Zone, Gold Seam, Gold Wedge, Gold Reef, Gold Circle, Gold Park, Gold Pen, Gold Canyon, Goldfield, Goldyke, Gold Run, Gold Summit, Gold Belt, Gold Hill.

An odd one is the Henry George, probably named by some old single-taxer who still had faith. The Home

Trail may have been named by one who longed to hit it. The Haystack is unusual. The Ivanhoe probably was named by an admirer of the brave knight. The Kodak is another odd one. The Lucky Hill may have been. The Longstreet—perhaps some Civil War vet who had fought under the noted Confederate leader dubbed this one. The Mayflower is a pretty name suggestive of lots of things, including Tobin. The man who thought of Majuba went to a distant land for a name—and he was not an Englishman. Midas is a good one for a gold mine, but Midas after his experience with gold developed into something of an ass. The Missing Link is a funny one. Mandalay—he had been reading Kipling, or perhaps he merely knew a popular song of a few years ago. Monte Cristo—maybe after the count. Mollie is good, but Mabel really should have an exclamation before it. None of these names is imaginary. The Mabel mine is well known in Mineral county.

Nivloc is unusual. It is Clovis spelled backward.

Others are the Panama Canal, Pilot, Polar's, Perserverence, Pedro, Prince, Paymaster, Pactolus, Pick Handle, Pay, Pershing, Quartz Mountain, Round Mountain, Relief, Rand, Rescue, Rawhide, Reveille, Rye Patch, Red Metal, Rocky Canyon, Regent, Rex, Rural, Red Hill, Sunset, Spanish Belt, Silver King, Sunshine, Silversides, Shepherdes, Star of the West, Silverpath, Silverzone, Silver Bow, Silver Star, Sultana, Sunnyside, Stone Cabin, Silverton, Searchlight, Spruce Mountain, Silver Gulch, Silver Dike, Spruce Monarch, Silver Shield, Seven Troughs, Silver Horn, Southern Cross, Sheba, Teacup, Treasure Hill, Trilby, Ten-Mile, Victory, Wall Street, Wonder, Well-Emma, Warrior, Wild West, Yellow Pine.

Virginia City Activities

[From the Virginia Chronicle]

Miss Lorraine Strasser and Jack Butler will represent the Virginia City high school at the high school debating contest to take place at Reno. The two local representatives were selected on a competitive basis and will have the best wishes of the entire town for their success.

According to President H. L. Sisson of the Middle Mines Association the diamond drilling from the Mint shaft drift on the Suro tunnel level is progressing satisfactorily and the first hole was down 250 feet this morning. The cores today showed porphyry and stringers of quartz in the formation being crossed by the drill at the present depth.

The Virginia City school trustees held a meeting yesterday morning and transacted routine business, allowing bills, and disposing of other details of school administration. Four grade teachers were elected for next year as follows: Mrs. Quirk, Mrs. McIntyre and Miss Grace Sullivan and Miss Evelyn Stock.

County Road Supervisor Frank Conlon has a crew of eleven men at work on the Geiger grade breaking up and removing the snow drifts at various points along the highway, and excellent progress is being made with the work. The men are at work at present near Alexander Springs, where the drifts are long, very deep, and packed solidly with snow and ice. Powder is being used with good effect. There is more snow at places along the grade than has been seen before in any May month for many years past.

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April 14, 1921							
3. m.	p. m.	a. m.	0	Lv	Reno	Ar	p. m.
4.30	1.08	8.35	7		Huffakers		6.50
4.44	1.30	8.50	7		Browns		6.34
4.48	1.38	8.55	9		Steamboat		6.29
4.53	1.45	9.00	11		Washoe		6.24
5.08	2.05	9.16	17		Franktown		6.11
5.18	2.20	9.27	21		Lakeview		6.00
5.27	2.35	9.37	26		Carson City	Lv	5.50
5.40	2.55	9.50	31	Ar	Carson City	Ar	5.35
	3.35	10.00	31	Lv	Empire		5.25
	3.45	10.09	35		Mound House		5.17
	4.25	10.45	41		Haywards		5.00
	4.47	11.00	45		Gold Hill		4.47
	5.09	11.17	50		Virginia City	Lv	4.31
	5.20	11.27	52	Ar			4.20
No. 20 No. 18 No. 16							
Mot'r	Mix'd	Mixed			No. 15	No. 17	No. 19
					Mixed	Mixed	Motor
1. m.	p. m.	a. m.	0	Lv	Carson City	Ar	p. m.
5.45	3.10	10.00	0	Lv	Stewart		12.10
5.56	3.22	10.12	4	Ar	Minden	Lv	11.58
6.20	3.50	10.40	15				4.30
*Daily.							

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